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Applicant : Johan Ericson
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Examiner : Sumesh Kaushal
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Customer No. : 35437
For : **METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS INVOLVED IN
GROUCHO-MEDIATED DIFFERENTIATION**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION
MAILED APRIL 20, 2005**

Sir:

Applicant submits the following Amendment in response to the Office Action mail dated April 20, 2005. Submitted concomitantly herewith is a Petition for an Extension of Time (3 months) and the fee as required pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3). With the extension, a Response is due on or before October 20, 2005. Entry and consideration of this responsive amendment is respectfully requested at the time of examination of the subject application.

Amendments to the Claims appear on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks to Amendment/Response begin on page 5 of this paper.

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